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IN RE APPLICATION OF: Todd L. Hargroder	ATTY DKT NO.: P-7519 (CIP)
SERIAL NO.: 10/694,508	EXAMINER: Lerner, Avraham H.
FILED: October 27, 2003	
TITLE: Manual Brake for a Wheelchair With a Variable Braking Force	ART UNIT NO.: 3611
TO: COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450	

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION OF APRIL 6, 2004**

Dear Examiner Lerner:

This correspondence is being filed as a full response to the Office Action of April 6, 2004. Applicant respectfully requests entry of the following amendments reflected in the Amendments to the Specification which begins on page 2 of this response and reflected in the Listing of Claims which begins on page 4 of this response, and consideration of the Restriction and Election which begins on page 3 of this response and the appended Remarks which begin on page 8 of this response.